

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

ENERGY DEPARTMENT- P.S - A.P. Electrical Inspectorate services – Gazetted Services – Allegations of corruption against Sri. Sultan Ahmed, Electrical Inspector (Retd) - Acquitted – Release of consequential benefits and treating of suspension period as on duty – Orders- issued.

ENERGY (VIGILANCE.A2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No 17

Dt.27.03.2014
Read the following

1. G.O.Ms. 48, Energy (SER) Department, dt. 25-02-1999.
2. G.O.Ms. 132, Energy (SERVICES) Department, dt. 26-07-1999.
3. G.O.Ms.381, Energy (SERVICES) Department, dt. 16-11-1999.
- 4.G.O.Ms. 61, Energy (Services- A2) Department, dt.23-11-2001.
5. G.O.Ms. 19, Energy (Services-A2) Department, dt.14-02-2003.
6. G.O.Rt. 238, Energy (Services) Department, dt.30-10-2010.
7. From the DG, ACB. Lr.C.No. 16/RCT-VKI/99, dt. 29-4-2005.
8. Representation of Sri. Sultan Ahmed, Electrical Inspector (Retd). dt. 05-01-2013.
9. From the DG, ACB. Lr.C.No. 16/RCT-VKI/99-S9, dt.3-5-2013.

In the reference 1st read above, Sri. Sultan Ahmed, Electrical Inspector, O/o CEIG was placed under suspension in the ACB Trap case. In the reference 2nd read above Government have accorded sanction of prosecution to prosecute him in a Court of Law. During his suspension period subsistence allowance was paid to him and it was also enhanced to 75% vide reference 3rd read above. Subsequently he was permitted to retire from service on attaining the age of superannuation vide reference 6th read above.

2. The Hon'ble SPL. Judge for SPE& ACB Cases, Vijayawada has acquitted the Incumbent from all the charges vide its judgment, dt. 27-01-2005 in CC.No.10/1999 and DG, ACB has preferred appeal against the acquittal judgment.

3. The DG, ACB vide reference 6th read above has informed that the Criminal Appeal preferred by the ACB was dismissed by the Hon'ble High Court vide its judgment in Crl. Appeal No. 1449/2005, dt. 04-12-2012 and the Bureau is of opinion that there are no grounds to prefer an appeal in the Supreme Court of India against the orders of the Hon'ble High Court and also requested to communicate the orders in the matter.

4. The Government, keeping in view of the above facts and after careful examination of the matter hereby accepts the recommendation of the DG, ACB, i.e not to prefer SLP in the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India against the orders of the High Court in Crl. Appeal No. 1449/2005, dt. 04-12-2012. As the acquittal of the Incumbent is clean acquittal on merits of the case and not on the benefit of doubt, the suspension period of Sri Sultan Ahmed for the period from 02-02-1999 to 23-05-2001 is treated as "On Duty" as per F.R 54.B (4). Accordingly, the consequential benefits as entitled to Sri Sultan Ahmed, Electrical Inspector (Retd) is ordered to be released to him.

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5. The CEIG shall take further action accordingly under intimation to the Government.

(This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide U.O. No.32746/864.FR.II/13, dt. 16-12-2013.)

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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To.
The Chief Electrical Inspector to Government,
Hyderabad.

Copy to:

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2. The Secretary to APVC
3. The Accountant General, A.P Hyderabad.
4. The Pay& Accounts Officer, AP. Hyderabad.
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// FORWARDED: BY ORDER //

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